

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL EXPEDITED PROCEDURE ART UNIT 1645

PATENT

Attorney Docket No.: UCSD1130-1

THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:

Fahey et al.

Art Unit:

1645

Application No.:

09/530,370

Examiner:

Swartz, R.

Filed:

July 6, 2000

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PRECURSORS THEREOF

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a Supplemental Response to the Final Office Action mailed on May 6, 2003 and a Notice of Appeal.

The requested extension is for Three (3) Months, extending the period for response from August 6, 2003 to November 6, 2003.

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CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 CFR §1.8

I hereby certify that the documents referred to as enclosed herein are being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail on this date, November 5, 2003, in an envelope addressed to:

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Month Extension of Time fee (Small Entity). The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any other fees associated with the filing submitted herewith, or credit any overpayments to Deposit Account No. 50-1355. A copy of this Petition Sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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